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Dear Sir:

In response to Notice of Allowance mailed September 28, 2007, in conjunction with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination, and Petition for Withdrawal from Issue, and prior to a first Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows: